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### LANCASTER WINGS INC. RECEIVES PARTNERS IN PROGRESS AWARD

LANCASTER, Ohio, March 16, 2016 - The Buffalo Wild Wings® franchise, Lancaster Wings Inc. (NASDAQ: BWLD) is proud to announce that owner, Larry Tipton, recently received the “Partners in Progress Award” from Buffalo Wild Wings Corporate. Tipton was the sole recipient of this award in the nation, selected out of more than 1,000 restaurants for the exceptional quality of work taking place in his restaurant locations.

“I’m so appreciative of the effort employees in every Lancaster Wings Inc. location make each day,” said Tipton. “This recognition reflects dedicated leaders, vibrant communities and hardworking staffs whose commitment makes our success possible.”

Tipton was honored as an outstanding franchise owner and partner with Buffalo Wild Wings for remodeling restaurants, building new ones, implementing new service models and serving the communities in which he operates. Tipton consistently executes new, innovative initiatives to keep the Buffalo Wild Wings brand fresh and relevant on a local level.

“We work extremely hard to satisfy our Guests each time they come into Buffalo Wild Wings,” said Larry Tipton, owner of Lancaster Wings Inc., a Buffalo Wild Wings franchise. “Our team is proud to have received this award and we’ll continue to be our cities’ destination for beer, wings and sports.”

Buffalo Wild Wings has dozens of TVs tuned into the hottest sports action and offers 21 signature sauces and seasonings to satisfy every taste bud. Its boldly flavored menu includes boneless wings, specialty burgers and sandwiches, finger foods, wraps, salads and Naked Tenders®, which are non-breaded, all white meat chicken tenders lightly seasoned, but the main attraction is Buffalo NY-style chicken wings.

Lancaster Wings Inc. operates Buffalo Wild Wings restaurants in Athens, Canal Winchester, Heath, Lancaster, Mount Vernon, Reynoldsburg and New Philadelphia, Ohio and in Flagstaff and Prescott Valley, Arizona.

#### **About Buffalo Wild Wings**

Buffalo Wild Wings, Inc. (NASDAQ: BWLD), founded in 1982 and headquartered in Minneapolis, Minnesota, is a growing owner, operator and franchisor of Buffalo Wild Wings® restaurants featuring a variety of boldly flavored, made-to-order menu items including its namesake Buffalo, N.Y.-style chicken wings. The Buffalo Wild Wings menu specializes in 21 mouth-watering signature sauces and seasonings with flavor sensations ranging from Sweet BBQ™ to Blazin’®. Guests enjoy a welcoming neighborhood atmosphere that includes an extensive multi-media system for watching their favorite sporting events. Buffalo Wild Wings is the

recipient of hundreds of “Best Wings” and “Best Sports Bar” awards from across the country. Currently, there are more than 1,086 Buffalo Wild Wings locations across the United States, Canada, Mexico and the Philippines.

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